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DAI DARRYL JACKSON: And I know that you're--
    this is on now but I know that you're used to
2
    telling stories. What do you--um--what do you do
3
    for a living again?
                                   I'm like a
5
6
8
9
         DAI JACKSON:
                         Okay.
                       : Uh, since I've started
10
11
         I'm a little more local. But I've done a
    couple international projects in the last couple of
12
    years.
13
                         What were your projects?
14
         DAI JACKSON:
                         Uh, well, right now I have a
15
16
17
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19
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21
         DAI JACKSON: Okay. What are the names of
    those other projects that you --
22
23
                       : The
24
25
         DAI JACKSON:
                        Okay.
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2
        DAI JACKSON:
3
                                              Okay.
    Okay. Uh, and I've--
4
         INSP. JONATHAN MOBLEY: Can I sit down?
5
6
                      : Yeah! Be comfortable.
7
         INSP. MOBLEY: Just -- you know, I'm just --
8
        DAI JACKSON: Hi. So, uh, we're--uh, we're
9
    in the home of--your name?
10
                      : My full name is
11
              I go by
12
        DAI JACKSON: Go by
                                     Uh, it is
    approximately 10:05 hours. Uh, present is, uh,
13
    Inspector Jonathan Mobley, Darryl Jackson,
14
            , and
15
    uh,
16
         DAI JACKSON:
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18
         DAI JACKSON:
19
20
                : Correct.
21
         DAI JACKSON: Okay. Um.
                                              , we're
    here just following up on, uh, I know you provided
22
    statements to the press, the media. But I don't
23
    think the police ever actually spoke to you. Did
24
    they?
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They did. DAI JACKSON: They did. : They came up, I will say 3 within--within 20 minutes because after the 4 shooting I went downstairs--5 DAI JACKSON: Hm-hmm. 6 And I told them I wanted to make a statement. 8 9 DAI JACKSON: Okay. 10 : And then they sent someone up. DAI JACKSON: Okay. Um. Then--as best as 11 12 you recall, from the shooting on April 7th of this 13 year at approximately 09:55 hours, can you tell me what you saw? What you were doing just prior to 14 15 what you saw and what the immediate aftermath. 16 : Yes. I was, um, exactly 17 sitting in that chair next to the middle window of 18 the main room in my apartment and I heard, "Get on 19 the ground." And that was the first thing I heard, uh, of this whole incident. And, um, I feel I 20 21 should give you the background that, um, I've lived 22 here for 14 years and, I mean, almost daily we hear a lot of stuff out there that is not normal in 23 residential areas [some find]. But, um, this 24

sounded especially aggressive.

DAI JACKSON: Okay. 1 2 : And so I got up and I went to my southernmost window. And I -- looked out. And by 3 then I heard a second, "Get on the ground." I 4 could see two police officers, uh, I can show you 5 exactly where. Inching their way forward. One 6 with their rifle drawn. The other with his hand on 7 his hip, pointing, uh, the -- the gentleman with the 8 rifle had his rifle pointed toward, um, Luis who we always referred to as "the Soccer Man". 10 DAI JACKSON: Okay. 11 : Um, he was--Luis was a regular 12 fixture here. We knew he lived in the encampment. 13 And we considered him to be a harmless homeless 14 person, um, as opposed to some guys out there are 15 kind of up to no good. 16 Yeah. 17 DAI JACKSON: : Uh--bike chop shop guys and 18 drug dealers and things like that but we recognized 19 Luis and we had interacted with him. 20 21 DAI JACKSON: Okay. : And, um, he was there sitting 22 on the ground, uh, with his back against the 23 garage door, the northernmost door. His, uh, knees 24 were up. His arms were down. And his head was

1	down and he was visibly shaking.
2	DAI JACKSON: Now, I'm going to pause you
3	real quick now.
4	: Sure.
5	DAI JACKSON: So you say his knees were up,
6	was itso both knees, uh, pointed skyward?
7	: That's right.
8	DAI JACKSON: And his arms were wrapped in
9	front of him?
10	: You know, um, II think they
11	were kind of down, like I know hehis body
12	language was like this. I don't know if his arms
13	were wrapped or just kind of down.
14	DAI JACKSON: Okay. All right. Um. And you
15	say sitting at the northern door of . Was he
16	against the roll-up door, against theI think it's
17	a brown painted portion of the wall
18	: Yeah.
19	DAI JACKSON: Or against thekind of, uhI
20	don't know
21	: The terracotta colored
22	DAI JACKSON: Terracotta colored.
23	: I mean, I kindI remember him
24	being against the door but he could have been as
25	far onto the building as that edge kind of, um, the

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first dark-brown part but not the building proper
   at all.
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3
        DAI JACKSON:
                        Okay.
                      : And--and, um, like we saw him
4
    there all the time.
5
                        Okay.
6
        DAI JACKSON:
7
                      : So maybe that's why I'm not
8
    remembering the exact place. But I feel like he
   was against the door itself.
9
10
        DAI JACKSON: Okay.
                      : Yeah.
11
        DAI JACKSON: All right. Um. So you heard
12
    the officers yell, "Get on the -- get on the ground"
13
14
    several times and in an aggressive tone?
15
                      : Hm-hmm.
                        Um. What is the next thing?
         DAI JACKSON:
16
                     : So then, um, one of -- the
17
    officer with the rifle shot out, uh, two bean bags.
18
         DAI JACKSON: Okay.
19
                  : And Luis started getting up,
20
21
    kind of, uh, re--recoiling from them. And then as
    he was standing, the other officer drew his pistol
22
    and started, um, shooting. And the reason I know
23
    that, um, they were shooting at the same time is
24
    because I've, um, working in the
25
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for about 15 years and I'm very familiar with what live fire versus like they use 2 rubber bullets there. 3 Hm-hmm. DAI JACKSON: But I was like, "Oh, they're 5 shooting with something different." And at first I didn't recognize the bean bags. I've never seen 7 that. But I was like, "Oh, those balloon-y things." But that's how I know when the pistol, um, started, because I can recognize the difference. So two 10 bean bags and then at the same time the bean bag 11 guy and the pistol guy were shooting. So Luis was-12 13 -walking--not really walking. Like stumbling, recoiling. He was -- from the time he started 14 moving, getting his body up, he was being shot. So 15 it seemed to me like he was always trying to get 16 his balance and he was recoiling and stumbling. 17 DAI JACKSON: 18 Okay. 19 : He started to go toward the 20 street. And as he was going toward the street, that's when I saw the knife fall off his body. And 21 the reason I say "fall off his body" is I never saw 22 it in his hand. Um. And I never saw him with a 23 knife before. We saw this guy every day. So I 24

thought to myself, oh, he had a knife. And then he

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1
    started to go diagonal until he fell at the, uh,
2
    school crossing sign.
3
         DAI JACKSON:
                        Okav.
                      : Yeah. Excuse me.
4
                                                   would
    you mind, um, turning my email off. I hear the
5
    ringing. Thanks so much. Okay.
6
7
         DAI JACKSON:
                       Okay. The -- so you have Luis,
    uh, getting from a seated position.
8
9
                       : Hm-hmm.
         DAI JACKSON:
                        After the first two bean bag
10
    rounds of fire.
11
                       : Hm-hmm.
12
         DAI JACKSON:
                        Is he standing --
13
                      : He was standing -- I mean, I
14
    don't feel like I can really say he was standing
15
    when like the first--pistol--okay, so--so the bean
16
    bags were hitting him as he was getting up.
17
         DAI JACKSON:
                        Okay.
18
                      : And by the time he was
19
    standing, certainly a pistol had hit him. I don't
20
    know which number bullet because I saw blood coming
21
22
    out of his back, like spurting.
23
         DAI JACKSON:
                        Okay.
                       : And then I also saw blood, um,
24
    I want to say like, um, spreading. Like, like it --
25
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from his back it was like spurting. But here in
    the -- in his gut area and his torso, it was like --
2
    you could tell he was hit and it was just getting
3
    dark.
4
         DAI JACKSON:
                         Okay.
5
                        And bloody.
6
                        Okay. Could you -- did you have
7
         DAI JACKSON:
    a clear view of his hands at that point in time?
8
                        Um. I had a clear view of -- I
9
    guess I want to say his arms.
10
         DAI JACKSON: His arms.
11
                       : Because I--don't want to say
12
    that I ever saw his hands doing something.
13
14
         DAI JACKSON:
                        Okay.
                       : But at that point, um, the
15
    knife was off his body.
16
                       Okay. So the knife--uh, is it
17
         DAI JACKSON:
    fair to say because I don't want to--uh, I don't
18
19
    want to misinterpret it.
20
                       : Yeah.
         DAI JACKSON:
                         This. So as he started up, you
21
22
    can see his arm. Could you see his, uh, his right
23
    arm?
24
                        I could see both his arms.
         DAI JACKSON:
                       Okay. So was he facing you?
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1
    It--
2
                        Yes. He was facing -- he was
3
    facing me. He was facing the street.
        DAI JACKSON: Uh, facing the window.
4
                      : That's right.
5
6
        DAI JACKSON: Or facing the street. Okay.
7
    So--
8
                      : He never looked up at me but I
    was looking at his face.
9
        DAI JACKSON: Okay. And is it fair to say
10
    that you just didn't pay attention to his hands or-
11
12
13
                      Yeah, that's right. It--it's
    fair to say that, that I -- I was kind of looking at
14
    his whole body.
15
        DAI JACKSON: Okay.
16
                      : And the movement his body was
17
    making. And certainly I saw his arms flailing.
18
    But whether his hands were like in a fist or open
19
20
    or something, I can just say that his -- his arms,
    uh, were kind of going like this, like he was
21
    trying to catch his balance.
22
         DAI JACKSON: Okay. So,
                                   , could you say
23
    if, um, during this particular episode then, could
24
    you see if there was anything in his hand? Did you
25
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see anything that made you believe that it could -- I
   don't care what it could have been. And -- in its --
2
3
   did you see anything possibly in his hand?
                     : I did not see anything in his
   hand.
5
        DAI JACKSON: Okay. Uh, did you actually--I
6
7
   know you say his arm. Did you see his hand?
                  : I mean, I saw his hand in that
8
    I saw that it was part of his arm flailing but did
    I look--
10
         DAI JACKSON:
11
                        Okay.
                      : Carefully like at his fingers
12
    and stuff? No.
13
        DAI JACKSON: Okay. All right. Um.
14
    you have missed an item in this hand?
15
                      : I could have missed an item in
16
    his hand but it would have been hard to miss an
17
    item in his hand.
18
        DAI JACKSON: Okay. Um. So as Luis gets up
19
    and he's starting to -- the -- or he's stumbling, I
20
    think is the word you used to describe it. Um, you
21
    say he starts toward--towards the street. What
22
    kept him from going straight?
23
24
                   : Well, his body was being hit by
    bullets at this point. Um.
25
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1
         DAI JACKSON:
                        Okay.
2
                      : The bean bags and live
3
    ammunition. So I believe he just -- um, lost control
4
    completely.
5
         DAI JACKSON:
                        Okay.
                      : But from the time he was
6
7
    getting up, I think he was at first trying to gain
8
    control and walk and then he just couldn't control.
   And then he was just--from the time he turned and
    started going diagonal toward the school crossing
10
    sign where he fell, he was just trying to, uh, I
11
   mean, he -- he was just recoiling. Recoiling is the
12
    word.
13
         DAI JACKSON: Okay. Uh, so you say towards
14
    the school crossing guard--crossing sign, I'm
15
16
    sorry.
                      : Yes.
17
                        Where were the police at that
18
         DAI JACKSON:
    point in time?
19
                      : They were -- in between the
20
    southernmost tree and the pole. They never got
21
    closer than the pole the whole time. When I first
22
    saw them, they were between the two southernmost
23
24
    trees.
25
         DAI JACKSON:
                        Okay.
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1	: And they were inching forward.
2	DAI JACKSON: Okay. Um, andthen by your
3	characterization of what you saw occur, you say
4	Luis was going towards the pole. Was that then
5	also going towards the direction of the officers?
6	: No. I would not say under any
7	circumstance was he ever going toward the officers.
8	DAI JACKSON: Okay.
9	: And I would say, um, I want to
10	make this clear. He stumbled until he fell at the
11	school crossing pole, not the telephone pole that
12	is now an altar
13	DAI JACKSON: Hm-hmm.
14	: Which is kind of what I'm
15	calling the border of where the police went up to.
16	DAI JACKSON: Okay.
17	: And there's under no
18	circumstance would I have characterized his
19	movement at all as going toward the police.
20	DAI JACKSON: Okay.
21	: At all.
22	DAI JACKSON: Okay.
23	: He was quite far from them, in
24	fact.
25	DAI JACKSON: Okay. Um. Where were the

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1
    police standing then?
 2
                        Do you want me to point or do
    you want me to kind of keep --
 3
                         Just tell me--
 4
         DAI JACKSON:
 5
                       : On describing it --
         DAI JACKSON: Because pointing on the
 6
    recorder --
 7
                         Okay.
 8
 9
         DAI JACKSON:
                         Does --
                       : So, um, they started out
10
    between the second to the southern tree. Most of
11
    their movement was between the two trees. As they
12
    were shooting, they were at the first--the
13
    southernmost tree and as -- and by the time Luis
14
15
    fell, he was at the -- excuse me, the police were at
    that telephone pole that's now an altar.
16
         DAI JACKSON:
                         Okay.
17
                       : And they didn't get closer than
18
    that until after he was definitely--
19
          DAI JACKSON: All right.
20
                      : On the ground.
21
         DAI JACKSON: Now, now I want you to
22
23
    specifically think about the officer with the --
    your -- the rifle, shotgun.
24
                       : Yeah.
25
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DAI JACKSON: Where was he standing?
1
   made his approach, where was he on the sidewalk?
2
                      : Um, that -- the officer with the
3
   rifle was closer to the
                                 building.
4
         DAI JACKSON:
                        Okay.
5
                       : The rife -- the officer with the
6
    pistol was closer to the street. They were pretty
7
   much moving parallel together.
8
         DAI JACKSON:
                        Okay.
9
                       : They were -- maybe a couple
10
11
    inches, uh, I think the rifle guy in front of the
12
    pistol guy because I could see them both. One
    wasn't blocking the other.
13
14
         DAI JACKSON: Okay. Um. When--go ahead.
15
         INSP. MOBLEY: The angle.
         DAI JACKSON: The angle?
16
         INSP. MOBLEY: Yeah. How she saw them.
17
         DAI JACKSON: When--um, okay. Um. Looking
18
    from the -- were you looking from this window right
19
    here by the chair?
20
21
                      : No.
                       You sat--you're--you're--when
         DAI JACKSON:
22
23
    you saw the officers.
24
                      : Yep.
25
         DAI JACKSON: You were at the -- the
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southernmost window?
2
                     : That's right.
        DAI JACKSON: Okay. So--um. You're looking
3
    at them not straight on but at an angle.
4
5
                      : That's right.
        DAI JACKSON: Okay. So--by--virtue of that
6
7
    angle, uh, you put one officer, the one with the
    shotgun, a little of--maybe an inch or two, a
8
    little--this--maybe a step in front of the other
9
    officer.
10
11
                        Maybe a step.
12
        DAI JACKSON:
                        Okay. Um. Did you ever see a
    third officer?
13
14
                      : Not until the end.
15
        DAI JACKSON: Not till the very end. Okay.
16
    Um. When--as the officers moved up, were you
    focusing on them or were you focusing on Luis?
17
18
                      : Hm-hmm.
19
        DAI JACKSON: You see who they were yelling
20
21
    at.
                       I was looking at all of it.
22
    And from that window, it was close enough and I'm
23
    high up enough that I could kind of watch
24
    everything at once.
25
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Okay. How far away were they
         DAI JACKSON:
    when the officers started? An estimation 'cause I
2
    know it's tough. An estimation of how far away
3
    were the officers when they first started yelling
    commands at, uh, Luis?
5
                       : Thirty feet. I think the whole
    thing was 20 to 30 feet. I'd have to go out there
7
    and show you where because I -- I know where it is.
8
    Maybe I'm not so good at measurements.
10
         DAI JACKSON:
                        Yeah.
11
                       : Yeah.
12
         DAI JACKSON:
                        Okay. And how far from the --
    uh, from Luis were they when he actually got to his
13
    feet?
14
                       : Hm-hmm. Um, at least 20 feet.
15
16
         DAI JACKSON: Okay. But nothing--not past
    the -- uh -- utility pole.
17
18
                       : No. And almost when they first
19
    started shooting, not past that first tree.
20
         DAI JACKSON:
                        Got it.
                        In between the first tree and
21
    second tree.
22
23
         DAI JACKSON:
                      Okay. Um, when they first
24
    started shooting. When they stopped shooting, how
    far did they get?
25
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: They went as far as the pole. 1 2 [PHONE] Or maybe they stopped a -- a step or two 3 before the pole and then walked up to the pole to see him, to see that he wasn't -- like by the time 4 they were looking at him, they -- at the pole, they 5 didn't have, uh, weapons drawn. 6 7 DAI JACKSON: Okay. It's a new phone. I can't figure out how to turn the thing off. 8 : No problem. 9 DAI JACKSON: Ah. Can't [slide it the 10 opposite way]. It's a new phone. I -- there's no 11 red thing on this one. 12 13 INSP. MOBLEY: Oh, is it? 14 Technology. Yeah. All right. Uh -- so -- Luis DAI JACKSON: 15 gets up. You--do you feel at that time when Luis 16 was hit with the bean bags, did he appear that he 17 wanted to run a different direction? 18 : Well, it appeared that he was 19 getting up and going toward the street. Maybe he 20 21 was going to try to get away from what was going on. And it was--I--I believe he only turned to go 22 toward the school crossing sign when he was 23 completely out of control. Um, his body probably 24 couldn't do anything else. 25

1	DAI JACKSON: Okay. Um. Where were those
2	bean bag rounds hitting Luis?
3	: Hm. I want to say everything
4	in the torso. I didn't see anything hit him in the
5	face. That's for sure. Um. I'm going to say
6	torso for everything.
7	DAI JACKSON: Okay. Front? Side? Back?
8	: That's hard. Um. I'm going to
9	say front and side, and by side I mean the right
10	side because he was going towards the street so
11	that's what would be facing them.
12	DAI JACKSON: Okay.
13	: Yeah.
14	DAI JACKSON: Um. When Luis succumbed to
15	the, uh, uh, pistol fire.
16	: Yeah.
17	DAI JACKSON: How did he end up?
18	: Um. So when he fell at the
19	school sign, I couldn't see him because at the time
20	there was a car there.
21	DAI JACKSON: Hm-hmm.
22	: I just saw him fall behind it.
23	And then when all the shooting stopped, I went
24	downstairs. So then thatthere was a good, safe
25	I don't know, minute. I was, uh, nine and a half

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1
   months pregnant at the time so I would say I moved
2
   quickly but I wasn't running. I stayed on this
   side of the sidewalk and I do have a picture from
3
   that location. And I could see that he was, um, on
4
   his back. His head was the closest thing to the
5
   street. His feet were pointing towards the
6
   building. And he was like--like at a diagonal. So
7
   he would have been northwest at that school
8
    crossing sign.
9
        DAI JACKSON: And you have a picture of that?
10
          : I do, actually.
11
12
        DAI JACKSON: Okay. Do you--is it a picture
13
    we can view right now or--
14
                     : Sure. I could also send it to
   you.
          , can you--
15
        DAI JACKSON: Okay.
16
                     : Pull up my picture? I--you
17
    know, I also have a little video. Did I ever give
18
   you that?
19
        DAI JACKSON: I--I'm a say no. You may have
20
    but I'm a say no. I have -- I don't remember seeing
21
    that.
22
                      : I want to make sure I get that
23
    to you.
        DAI JACKSON:
                      Okay.
25
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: Um, do you have that handy?
    Oh, you know, if you can bring my laptop over, I
2
   could pull it up.
3
                   Yeah, I can pull it up.
4
                       : Okay, great. So he's gonna get
5
    that.
                   Okay. Uh --
7
                       : It's nothing--uh, you know,
8
    you'll decide but I mean, I -- I did not shoot the
9
10
    whole action. I -- you're probably thinking what I
    thought of myself, which is
11
               missed the shot." But I was so
12
13
    unprepared for what I was seeing, you know--
         DAI JACKSON: Oh, no. That's natural. I
14
    mean, if--
15
                       : I -- I just couldn't take my eyes
16
    off it. But you know what I did do? I saw on my
17
    phone that I was on the -- I was on hold with 911 for
18
19
    three minutes.
20
         DAI JACKSON:
                        Okay.
                        So I did start to call 911 as
21
22
    soon as I got up.
23
         DAI JACKSON:
                        Okay.
24
                        Yeah.
25
         DAI JACKSON:
                         Um.
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INSP. MOBLEY: Did you check that with your
1
    phone? That -- the phone --
2
3
                      : Yeah. It's just a phone thing.
    Yeah, nothing zoom lens.
4
        DAI JACKSON: Uh, so--you--as--as, um,
5
   Luis was laying on the ground, did you see the
6
7
    officers do--as soon as the shooting, the shots
8
    stopped --
                        Yep.
        DAI JACKSON: What did you see the officers
10
    do?
11
12
                      : I saw--then there's three
    officers by then.
13
14
         DAI JACKSON:
                        Okay.
                      : I only saw two during the whole
15
    shooting.
16
17
        DAI JACKSON:
                       Okay.
                      : But somehow at the end there
18
    was this third guy. And they were all, again, the
19
20
    closest one -- the closest one was the guy who'd been
    on the rifle, closest to the building. He
21
    might have been a step beyond the pole. And the
22
    other two guys were like at the pole and they were
23
    looking.
24
         DAI JACKSON: Okay. Did you see them
25
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1	approach Luis at all? Did they do anything?
2	: That would have beenI didn't
3	because that's when I moved to go downstairs.
4	DAI JACKSON: Okay.
5	: And then when I got downstairs,
6	there were guys all over him.
7	DAI JACKSON: Okay.
8	: By then paramedics were showing
9	up and all that stuff.
10	DAI JACKSON: All right. Okay. Um. From
11	your vantage point here, did you everwhere'd
12	where did the knife end up?
13	: Okay. So I saw it come from
14	his body and I even saw it do like a bounce.
15	DAI JACKSON: Okay.
16	: And then I didn't really pay
17	attention to where it went.
18	DAI JACKSON: Okay.
19	: And then I didn't see it again
20	much later until, uh, it was at the end of the
21	driveway.
22	DAI JACKSON: Okay.
23	: And that was after I went out.
24	They put the detail flags up
25	DAI JACKSON: Yeah.

1	And all that stuff. Yeah.
2	DAI JACKSON: All right. Did youdid you
3	see an officer put it there?
4	: You know, I did not see an
5	officer put it there but I did notice that it's not
6	present in the picture I took right after the
7	shooting.
8	DAI JACKSON: Okay. All right. Um.
9	: Whuhthere's the shot.
10	is that the whole thing or is that like
11	: That's the video.
12	: Oh, that's the video.
13	: Here's the, uh
14	: So that's theand does that
15	show anything profitable? And so thatyou can see
16	they'd already like [UNINTELLIGIBLE] so they're all
17	standing there.
18	: This is right after they were
19	[UNINTELLIGIBLE] that's the paramedics.
20	: And I would say that that was
21	taken within the onefirst minute that I got
22	downstairs.
23	: And then this is later when they're
24	cleaning.
25	INSP. MOBLEY: All right. [UNINTELLIGIBLE]

And this, uh--this really was how 1 2 many seconds after they were--3 Right after. Right after Luis 4 fell, I--I took this. And there's no audio to this. DAI JACKSON: 5 There's audio. 6 7 DAI JACKSON: There is audio. : There's audio. 8 9 DAI JACKSON: Okay. : Huh. Not coming out but we--10 there's definitely audio. 11 12 DAI JACKSON: Okay. Did you hear anything? Yeah. 13 DAI JACKSON: What'd you hear? 14 15 I mean, I could hear like the 16 homeless people screaming. 17 DAI JACKSON: What else did you hear? 18 : I could hear, um, by then, 19 like, you know, down at both ends of the blocks, I 20 could see that other police and I guess we'll call 21 it paramedics have arrived and people are kind of 22 shouting commands. I can't say exact words but I 23 can hear some sound, uh, authoritative, like I 24 assume they were police or everything like -- "get over there" and -- because people were starting to 25

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come at the end of the street.
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         DAI JACKSON: You know Spanish also?
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                      : I don't know Spanish. Um.
                                                    But
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    I can add a little something about Spanish and
5
   Luis.
6
        DAI JACKSON:
                        Okay.
7
                      : Okay? Just that, um, uh, I
    don't speak Spanish but does and -- and we --
8
                    We would, um, see Luis all the
9
    time, like I said, and he'd be kicking the ball.
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                            would just kind of
11
    So sometimes, um,
    exchange a few like, "Ola, como esta?" with him.
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13
    And, um, what I knew--what he said was that, "Oh,
    his Spanish is weird." And it turns out he's from
14
    Yucatan so it was probably a different dialect.
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16
         DAI JACKSON:
                        Yeah.
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                   : One of the reasons I always
    thought Luis was a little bit mentally challenged
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19
    was because I would be like this close to him and
    looking at him, and say, "Hello", but like
20
    something about his energy and his eyes and
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22
    inability to concentrate really and not really say
23
    hello back.
24
         DAI JACKSON:
                        Okay.
25
                      : And then I also realized that,
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um, he -- I think he didn't have any command of English language at all. DAI JACKSON: Okay. 3 : Yeah. Nothing. Because he--he 4 wouldn't respond to a greeting or something and he 5 would only try to understand my kid. 6 7 DAI JACKSON: Okay. And you're attributing that to a possible--possible mental issue 8 or could it have been a drug issue? 9 : Right. That's a good question. 10 If it were a drug issue, he would have had to 11 have been like a 24/7 drug user because whenever I 12 saw this guy--first of all he was always playing 13 14 soccer. Hm-hmm. 15 DAI JACKSON: And whenever I was in close 16 range, I would call his energy erratic. So, yeah, 17 I guess it could be, uh, drugs but just something 18 about how he was always in that state. Like we 19 just considered him to be somebody who, um, wasn't 20 21 able to function in society. 22 DAI JACKSON: Okay. : Because there are other drug 23 guys out there, and they acted a little 24 differently. 25

1 DAI JACKSON: Okay. 2 : Yeah. 3 DAI JACKSON: Okay. Um. So, uh, so make sure I'm clear, so you never saw the police move 4 any items. You just saw them when he started 5 putting the I.D. placards --6 7 : Yes. On the ground. 8 DAI JACKSON: 9 : That's right. DAI JACKSON: Um. Then when you took your 10 initial photo, you didn't notice the -- uh, the -- the 11 knife in the scene but later you saw a marker, I.D. 12 marker, identifying where it was. 13 : That's exactly right. You 14 know, my eyes and my attention was always pretty 15 much on Luis. 16 DAI JACKSON: Yeah. 17 : So I did see the knife--like I 18 say, bounce. Like I feel like it was like --19 showing -- a huge motion. And I--I remember 20 thinking, oh, he had a knife. And then, yes, you 21 22 are correct. I never thought about it again until later when I went out and that I.D. marker was 23 there. 24 Okay. Could that -- was that -- it 25 DAI JACKSON:

was -- where the I.D. marker was, was that in the general direction -- and I know it's hard --2 : Yeah. 3 DAI JACKSON: And I know you -- can you -- no one 4 can say for 100 percent sure because you weren't 5 focused on that. But does it appear, the best you 6 7 recall, that the knife was in the general area 8 where you saw it bouncing. : Absolutely. Because he at that point was going toward the street and the knife 10 came out of what I -- what looked to me like the left 11 side of his body. And bounced toward the street. 12 13 DAI JACKSON: Okay. Yeah. I could see it coming--14 15 didn't fall behind him. Didn't fall--like slide down his body. It was like propelled. 16 Okay. Now--uh--when all this 17 DAI JACKSON: began -- I'm going to go back to the beginning. When 18 19 all this began, and when the officers are yelling commands at Luis, did you ever hear him respond? 20 : No. And I believe he did not 21 respond because I -- I heard, "Get on the ground," 22 23 and by the time I got to the window it was the second "get on the ground". And so you can listen 24 25 on the video yourself what that amount of time is

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between those two things. But it's pretty quick.
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    And I was looking at him. And I never saw him look
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    up. I never saw him address them or anything. The
    time I saw his face was when he got up and he was
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    already being shot and he was kind of flailing
6
    toward the street. So I never saw him say
7
    something to them.
        DAI JACKSON: Did the -- did you ever see Luis
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    raise his hand, uh, to show them that he had the
    knife?
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                      : No. And no one's ever gonna
11
    convince that he rushed toward them with a knife
12
    and he did anything to, um, to make them feel like
13
    he was going to attack them. Absolutely not.
14
         DAI JACKSON:
                        Okay. Um.
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                        This I'm confident of.
         INSP. MOBLEY: Hm-hmm. Good.
17
                        Um. Let's see.
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         DAI JACKSON:
                        You guys, he didn't do it.
19
    was -- he was like a -- soft guy out there. He was
20
    just a guy who--you know, couldn't hang in society.
21
                        Um--you have anything--
         DAI JACKSON:
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                        There's your video.
23
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         DAI JACKSON:
                        Okay.
25
                        Okay.
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All right. Uh. DAI JACKSON: 1 2 INSP. MOBLEY: Did you understand the -- so you didn't understand the Spanish that the officers--3 I don't have a word of Spanish. 4 INSP. MOBLEY: Okay. 5 Okay. Do you remember the DAI JACKSON: 6 7 officer saying anything in Spanish? INSP. MOBLEY: 'Cause it's there and that --8 9 These guys? 10 DAI JACKSON: Yeah. : You know, I--I, uh, was looking 11 and I wasn't thinking about where audio was coming 12 from. And at that point from my peripheral vision, 13 14 before I went outside, I could see that officers were either end of the street. There were a lot of 15 people. 16 17 DAI JACKSON: Hm-hmm. So to me it was just like noise 18 was happening. So I--I can say that I don't know 19 if someone was trying to say something to Luis, 20 even though he was on the ground, if that's what 21 22 your question is? 23 DAI JACKSON: Yeah, it is. And this is prior to all the other officers -- I'm talking about one of 24

those three.

1	: Uh
2	DAI JACKSON: Did you ever notice that?
3	: I don't think one of those
4	three everwell, well, first of all, after they
5	get on the ground, once they started shooting, they
6	weren't saying anything to him.
7	DAI JACKSON: Okay. And immediately after
8	in the aftermath, the shots were fired, Luis was on
9	the ground.
10	: That guy was on the ground in a
11	pool of blood. I'd be shocked if they were trying
12	to say anything to him.
13	DAI JACKSON: Okay. Um. Have you watched
14	your own video?
15	: Not since that day. And just
16	now. And maybe a couple days after but, uh, in the
17	time
18	DAI JACKSON: I know that you were
19	: Yeah, yeah. In the time that I
20	I hadn't seen it
21	until today because I haven't wanted to like
22	corrupt my story.
23	DAI JACKSON: Okay.
24	: And for the same reason, I
25	haven't, um, even though I've seen my neighbor

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downstairs, we've got a barbecue and stuff. We
   haven't talked about it because, again, I don't
2
   want to corrupt my story. And even online, um,
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   within the first couple minutes after everything
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5
   happened, I came up and I posted on our
   neighborhood group--
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7
        DAI JACKSON:
                        Hm-hmm.
                      : Because, um, usually I don't do
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    that. But there have been so many shootings.
    all keep each other aware. Um, I have -- I didn't
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    even read all their responses carefully. And they
    were nearing 200. It became such a divisive event
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    that happened. Because, again, I thought, I have
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    to keep my story straight. I think it's just
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    because of the line of work that I'm in, I just
    knew that I shouldn't. And how memory is--
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17
        DAI JACKSON: Yeah.
                      : And everything, right?
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         DAI JACKSON: Yeah.
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                      : Yeah.
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                        Okay. So--um, from the time
         DAI JACKSON:
21
    that the -- when you gave that initial statement to
22
23
    the police that day--
                      : Hm-hmm.
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         DAI JACKSON: Uh, and -- and up till today,
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you've really haven't contaminated yourself with outside information. 2 : No way. 3 4 DAI JACKSON: So much. 5 : Nope. I -- and I've only given a 6 couple interviews. I've--I've--7 DAI JACKSON: Okay. : Kind of picked and chosen very 8 carefully. Can I tell you something about the 9 officer who came? 10 DAI JACKSON: Yes. 11 12 : So he came, probably within 20 minutes, and he was -- he was visibly upset. I 13 thought it was so interesting. Like, you know, he 14 came in and we stood by the window. We were like 15 this close. I thought the guy was gonna cry. And 16 he was almost shaking. Like I wanted to touch him 17 and be like, it's okay. Um. You know. I don't 18 19 know--obviously he wouldn't have been one of those three but I could tell the guy was upset. And as 20 he was taking down my -- I mean, I'd love to hear 21 22 what I said to him. It was the same kind of thing 23 but I remember him being like--you know, are you sure? Is that how it happened? Or--like I think 24 25 he wanted to--uh, it was hard for him to believe.

DAI JACKSON: Okay. 1 Yeah. And then another police 2 3 officer came like a hour later, half an hour later, just to get my I.D. and we didn't say anything. He 4 5 did say something. DAI JACKSON: Okay. 6 : He said, um, he said, "This is 7 why we've been trying to clear the homeless from 8 9 around here for years so nothing like this would happen." And it made me angry because it's not 10 true. 11 DAI JACKSON: Okay. Um. The -- what I'm gonna 12 ask is, um, my partner here will take a photograph-13 -photographs and you just showed me at different 14 15 stages that you were in, starting at the chair. Hm-hmm. 16 From when you first heard the DAI JACKSON: 17 shot. 18 19 : Hm-hmm. DAI JACKSON: To you're in--we'll follow your 20 movements, uh, to the window, whichever windows you 21 22 went to and which panes, specifically, you were looking through at the time. That way he can take 23 a picture of your point of view from that time of 24

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day.

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: Sure.

DAI JACKSON: Um. At least that--at that

time of day. Um. Have you--is there anything that

I have not asked you, you think is very--that you

think it's important?

: That I started to hear, um,
throughout the day, then people started to say that
the police said that Luis had rushed toward him
with a knife. And so I thought, "Oh, I must have
missed part of what happened" because the
encampment was down there--

DAI JACKSON: Hm-hmm.

Down the street a bit? And I only started hearing everything from the first "get on the ground". And I thought, oh, I must have missed something, because I saw that he did have a knife. Okay. Wow. And I started to think that there was a whole other scene. But when my-neighbor released the video and I saw that everything starts when the police get out of the car and they get to the sidewalk and yell "get on the ground", then I really thought, oh, they're-they're saying something just to say something because he never did that. He never did that in this part of the scene. So if there was, uh,

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something that happened down the street that I
1
   didn't see, I can't speak for it.
2
                      Okay.
3
         DAI JACKSON:
                      : But up here it never happened.
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        DAI JACKSON:
                      Okay. Um. Show us -- show us
5
   where you were.
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                            , I don't--
7
                     : So,
         INSP. MOBLEY: I've got a question.
                      : I don't think we need that
9
10
    right now.
11
                  Yeah.
12
                  : Can I ask you to
                                                  so I
    can, um, take pictures with them |
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14
     Did you ever get the, um, the email off?
    Is that yours clicking? No. Oh, it's you guys.
15
    That's fine.
16
         DAI JACKSON: Oh, that's my--that's mine.
17
                     : It's you, that's fine. I just
18
    don't want it to be me.
19
         DAI JACKSON: I got this already. My kid--
20
                      : I don't want it to be me--
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         DAI JACKSON: They haven't showed me
22
    everything.
23
                     : Corrupting your--your audio.
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         DAI JACKSON: Oh, no. You're okay.
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                        Okay, that's fine.
                                            He's an
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    audio guy, too, so--
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         DAI JACKSON:
                        Yeah, no, you're okay.
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         INSP. MOBLEY: I was going to tell you.
                        We have one of those
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         DAI JACKSON: Oh, he has a question. My
8
    partner has a question for you.
9
                       Yes.
         INSP. MOBLEY: So, um, without, uh, so you
10
    haven't looked at the video until what we've seen a
11
    little bit--
12
                      : Oh, until like before, uh,
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    April 12th.
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         INSP. MOBLEY: Okay.
                      : Because also I didn't want to
16
    be upsetting myself because I was pregnant.
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         INSP. MOBLEY: Oh, yeah--
        DAI JACKSON: No, no, no. That's fine.
21
         INSP. MOBLEY: That's fine.
22
                      : They don't care.
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         INSP. MOBLEY: Oh, yeah, that's fine.
                        That's fine. Please do.
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         DAI JACKSON:
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INSP. MOBLEY: We imposing so that's fine.
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         DAI JACKSON:
                        Yeah, please take your --
                        And you have three girls,
3
    right?
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                        Have two girls.
5
         DAI JACKSON:
                      : Two girls. Okay. Your other
6
    friend that day had three girls.
7
         DAI JACKSON: Yeah, yeah. Yes. Yeah, I have
    two daughters.
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                        So you guys know.
11
         DAI JACKSON: Oh, I can remember those very
12
    well.
         INSP. MOBLEY: Definitely.
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14
                      : [UNINTELLIGIBLE] days. Okay.
    So I was here.
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16
         INSP. MOBLEY: So I'm just gonna ask you a
    question. Um. Uh. Could you describe, um, where
17
    the officers were, their positioning, uh, over
18
    there on the sidewalk?
19
                      : When I was sitting here?
20
         INSP. MOBLEY: Hm-hmm.
21
22
                      : I did not see them here.
    didn't turn to look for them.
23
         INSP. MOBLEY: Hm-hmm.
24
                 : Or for anything here, when I--
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    when I was here, I only heard.
         INSP. MOBLEY: Okay. Can you describe what
 2
 3
    their positions were when you were at the window?
 4
                      : Yes.
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         INSP. MOBLEY: Okay. Can you describe that to
    me?
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 7
                      : Yep. So I saw two officers,
 8
    um, moving parallel to Shotwell Street. One, maybe
 9
    a couple inches in front of the other. The one who
    was a little in front of the other--can you turn my
10
    recorder,
11
         INSP. MOBLEY: This way?
12
                        This way, yeah, yeah.
13
         INSP. MOBLEY: This way?
14
                    : Yeah, yeah. Thank you. Um.
15
    One, a few inches in front of the other. Um. They
16
    were--it looked like--I assumed it was like some
17
    police walk they were supposed to do. They were
18
19
    like inching like this.
20
         INSP. MOBLEY: Okay.
                       : They weren't at all like this.
21
         INSP. MOBLEY: Okay.
22
                    : It was very slow and measured.
23
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    Like this. The guy with the rifle, um, so again,
    do you want me to move to where I was when I
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started looking? 1 INSP. MOBLEY: Hm-hmm. 2 : Okay, so right here. I was 3 like on my computer, just -- it was morning. And I 4 heard "get on the ground". So I got up. I didn't 5 look out the window yet. I didn't look. I didn't 6 look. And then here--this is always like this. 7 This is our only window that doesn't have a screen. So I was here and I could see two police officers 9 between that tree--between that tree, inching--the 10 11 one with the rifle closer to the building with the rifle raised. The other one with his hand on his 12 hip, inching south, parallel to Shotwell Street. 13 And Luis was against that, um, gray door. I mean, 14 I would have said in between where the white "do 15 not parking" sign and the edge of the garage door. 16 If I'm mis-remembering that, then I would say he 17 could have been at the brown spot -- the brown 18 painted part. That's where, right next to it but 19 it's not as far as that green at all. Like I 20 really think he's against the door. Because also, 21 that's where--I remember marking where he walked 22 and those full, um, blocks in front of the door. 23 Okay. 24 INSP. MOBLEY: So did the officers keep the 25

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same spacing as they maintained the walk, while the
1
   shooting was going on?
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        DAI JACKSON: To each other?
        INSP. MOBLEY: Yes.
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        DAI JACKSON: Yes.
5
        INSP. MOBLEY: And at any point, uh, you
   mentioned that, um, Luis was, um, um, getting up
7
   and he was going towards the -- the crosswalk sign.
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   So was that angle in between the two officers or
10
   directly at one or the other?
                   : That's a good question. You're
11
    the first person to ask me that. So he was at
12
    first -- he seemed like at the garage --
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         INSP. MOBLEY: Oh, I know--I know where he--
14
                   : Okay. You know what I'm
15
    talking about, okay. So I would say he was angled
16
    toward the street, not toward the officers at all.
17
         INSP. MOBLEY: So not at a angle either
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    between the officers or on the outside so--
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                : I want to make sure I
20
    understand what you're saying.
21
         INSP. MOBLEY: So like when you're saying, um,
22
    like this.
23
                : If you were the officers, it's
24
    like he was going like this. Because he was just
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at that point stumbling. 1 INSP. MOBLEY: Okay. So would that have been 2 toward the officer closest to the street? 3 DAI JACKSON: Street. 4 : Officer closer to the street, 5 if you had to say one of them but they were so far back, I wouldn't say he was going toward either of 7 them. 8 INSP. MOBLEY: So, but I'm just trying to get an angle. 10 11 Yes. INSP. MOBLEY: Though. 12 Yes. Okay. 13 INSP. MOBLEY: Um - -14 : So, yes, toward the -- the angle 15 would have been like a 45-ish degree angle that 16 ended up at the curb. The officer with the pistol 17 was the closer one to the curb but he was not in 18 his trajectory. 19 INSP. MOBLEY: Okay. That's the question I 20 wanted to ask you. So then when, um, at any point, 21 you were still here, did you see a third officer? 22 : I did not see a third officer 23 24 till the end when Luis was already on the ground. INSP. MOBLEY: Okay. And was that third 25

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   officer on the sidewalk or in the roadway?
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                     : At that point -- when -- when they
3
   were all looking and there was no more shooting,
    all three of them were on the sidewalk.
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    INSP. MOBLEY: Okay. At that point you said
    that you did see the knife bounce, uh, on the -- on
6
7
   the concrete sidewalk. But there was a car parked
    there.
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9
                       Where that gray car was --
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        INSP. MOBLEY:
                       Yes.
               : There was a white car--moved a
11
   little closer because --
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13
        INSP. MOBLEY: Right.
                   : Um, I couldn't see Luis's body
14
   when it fell.
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16
        INSP. MOBLEY: Right. Were you able to see
17
    the, uh, the knife at that point, even when you
   went downstairs?
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19
                      : No.
20
        INSP. MOBLEY: No.
              : I didn't look for it, though.
21
        INSP. MOBLEY: Oh. You didn't look for it.
22
   Okay. Um. When you got up and you saw Luis, uh,
23
24
   wait a minute. No, let me go back. Um, you saw
   him--you said you saw him--where we talking about
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that, the brown spot up against the building.
   Uh, at that point you didn't see anything in his
2
   hands or nothing? You could just only see his
3
   face?
4
                             Can I back up for one
                        Um.
5
    second?
         INSP. MOBLEY: Oh.
7
                     : So I'm saying that I believe he
8
    was against the garage door.
         INSP. MOBLEY: Okay.
10
                     : I'm saying that if you find
11
    that I'm mistaken, he could have been as far north
12
    as the brown spot.
13
14
         INSP. MOBLEY: Okay.
                     : But my story is the garage
15
16
    door.
         INSP. MOBLEY: Okay.
17
                      : So he was down. I didn't see
18
19
    his fact at that time or anything in his hands.
         INSP. MOBLEY: Hm-hmm.
20
                    : Until he got up and was moving.
21
         INSP. MOBLEY: Okay. Um. One more question,
22
    uh, I just want to go back to the commands. So
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    when they said, um, um, "get on the ground, get on
24
    the ground," was he on the ground, or was he
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1	standing up?
2	: He was on the ground.
3	INSP. MOBLEY: He was on the ground. So
4	anything involved in your mind why that command
5	was, uh, um, administered or
6	: No. But later on, told
7	me he thought'cause hehe watch the video a
8	bunch of times
9	: Listening [UNINTELLIGIBLE] to the
10	video
11	: He said "lay on the ground"?
12	: It sounds like he may be saying,
13	"Lay on the ground."
14	INSP. MOBLEY: Oh, okay.
15	: Sothat made me think, oh, his
16	English isn't good enough to know"get on the
17	ground"
18	: I mean, if you heard "get on the
19	ground"
20	: I heard "get on the ground."
21	: Youso
22	: Yeah, I mean, I would never
23	have said that. That it was. But, yeah, you told
24	me you watched it.
25	: They were saying "lay on the

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ground" - -
                       : So anyways--
                   They may have been trying to get him
3
    to lie down.
4
                       : What I thought was, oh, that
5
    guy doesn't know English. They're yelling stuff at
6
7
    him and he's not gonna understand what they're
8
    saying.
         INSP. MOBLEY: So the interpretation of the
    command could have been more lay on the ground
10
    instead of get on the ground.
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12
                        That's right.
13
         INSP. MOBLEY: Okay.
14
                       : And the thing is, he was often
15
    sitting just like that --
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         INSP. MOBLEY: Hm-hmm.
                    : So the other thing was, I
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18
    didn't think that he got into that position because
19
    they told him to. I -- Luis was either kicking the
20
    ball or sitting like that on the ground. All the
    time.
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         INSP. MOBLEY: Okay.
                   Could-
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         INSP. MOBLEY: That's it.
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                  Could I -- if he had been holding a
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knife you would have seen it. I mean, you said
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    that you didn't see anything in his hand. But if
   he had been holding a knife, you would have -- most
3
    likely would have seen it?
4
                      : Well, when his--when he was
5
    standing --
6
                 As he was standing?
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8
                        As he was standing, sure. Um.
    But I don't want to say that, especially when he
    was sitting, 'cause I wasn't paying attention
10
11
    closely enough.
         INSP. MOBLEY: So, um, but when the knife did
12
    fall--
13
                        Yeah.
14
         INSP. MOBLEY: What--what did you say--you
15
16
    said something that --
                      : I -- I'm saying, it fell from his
17
    body, like I don't feel like--
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         INSP. MOBLEY: From his body?
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                     : He threw it. I don't feel like
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    he had it in his hand. I think it was on him.
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         INSP. MOBLEY: On him?
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                      : And he was being shot and his
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    body was moving in such a spasmodic way that, I
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    mean, maybe for all, you'll tell me his wallet fell
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I have no idea.
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    out, too.
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         INSP. MOBLEY: Hm-hmm.
                       : Like stuff was falling off of
3
    him.
         INSP. MOBLEY: So that was my question, so
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    like could it have come from the torso area?
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                       : I--I think--that's what it
    looked like to me. But like it's -- spraying from
    him.
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         INSP. MOBLEY: Oh, okay. Or could it be a
    possibility, if I'm moving like this, it could have
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    been in my hand--
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                         Yeah.
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         INSP. MOBLEY: And then I --
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                         In fairness, sure.
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         INSP. MOBLEY:
                         Okay.
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                       : Sure.
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         INSP. MOBLEY:
                         Okay, it could have been --
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                       : But I will -- I will say that,
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    um, because I could see his--his arms the whole
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    time were out.
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         INSP. MOBLEY: yes.
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                         I do--I do feel like I would
    have seen that. I would have seen a knife in his
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    hand.
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INSP. MOBLEY: Hm-hmm. 1 : Because it was so big. 2 3 INSP. MOBLEY: Yeah. DAI JACKSON: Okay. That's -- that's all I 4 5 have. INSP. MOBLEY: [UNINTELLIGIBLE] 6 DAI JACKSON: The--uh--7 INSP. MOBLEY: Oh, you got the end? 8 DAI JACKSON: Yeah, the time is, uh, 10:42, 9 uh, the interview is complete. 10 INSP. MOBLEY: Uh, did you have any question--11 [ABRUPT END TO AUDIO] 12 END OF DOCUMENT 13